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| Applicant: | MARTENS et al. | Confirmation No.: | 3753 |
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| Customer No.: | 21559 | | |
| Title: | CRYSTALLINE MESOPOROUS OXIDE BASED MATERIALS USEFUL FOR THE FIXATION AND CONTROLLED RELEASE OF DRUGS | | |

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action that issued in connection with the above-captioned case on October 20, 2009, Applicants provide the following Amendments and Remarks.

Kindly amend the application as follows.